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## IMPORTANT

**Propositions Are Being Considered at Big National Meeting.**

**Delegates to Hibernian Gathering Are Having Busy Week.**

**Archbishop of Portland Opened Proceedings With Mass.**

**MANY SOCIAL ATTENTIONS PAID**

The forty-seventh national convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians began its sessions at Portland, Ore., on Tuesday, and it is expected that all business will be concluded by tomorrow. Hundreds of delegates from various parts of the United States are in attendance. The convention opening was preceded by Pontifical mass at the Portland Cathedral at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning. The Most Rev. Archbishop Christie was celebrant, and the sermon was preached by the Right Rev. John P. Carroll, Bishop of Helena, Mont.

After mass the delegates proceeded to the convention hall and heard an address of welcome from P. E. Sullivan, of Portland. National President Matthew Cummings responded on behalf of the delegates. Soon thereafter the delegates got down to business. Portland people are lavish in furnishing entertainment and dispensing hospitality to the visitors. The Ladies' Auxiliary is also holding its National convention at Portland.

The Hibernians assembled in the Far Northwest have several important matters to consider as well as a multitude of minor subjects. One big proposition is that which would unite the United Irish League, the Sinn Féin, the Gaelic League and the Ancient Order of Hibernians. All of these societies are working for the same end, home rule and liberty for Ireland, and the betterment of her people at home and abroad.

Another big proposition that the delegates are considering is a movement to induce the able-bodied Irish people to leave the congested cities and take up agricultural pursuits. At Ireland the people are engaged in agricultural, and where they have made it pay. The Hibernians believe that many more of their countrymen would become prosperous did they seek life on the farm.

Still another big matter before the Hibernians is the proposition to organize a National Hibernian Insurance Society, and one that would make it compulsory on every Hibernian to become a member of the insurance branch.

The election of National officers of both the Ladies' Auxiliary and the Ancient Order of Hibernians will probably take place today. There will doubtless be a spirited contest for the Presidency of the A. O. H. Massachusetts has given its solid endorsement to Matthew Cummings for reelection as National President. Pennsylvania and other States are backing favorite sons. The South wants at least one member on the National Board of Directors.

On Tuesday evening the visiting delegates were given a reception and ball, and on Wednesday evening were guests at a banquet in the Armory. An orchestra of thirty-one pieces and a trained chorus of 100 voices rendered Irish National airs during the feast. Dr. Andrew C. Smith was the toastmaster, and among those who responded to toasts were Archbishop Christie, National President Cummings, Prof. M. G. Rohan, Miss Anna C. Mallie, Rev. Father P. C. Hennessy, Rev. Father P. C. Hennessy, Dr. J. C. Monahan and Ellen Ryan Jolly.

On Thursday evening there was a street parade. Yesterday was a day with business. Today the feature will be a sunset trip to the Columbia river. The reports of the national officers say that the order has made substantial progress, having increased membership many thousand, and winning a gain of over \$500,000 in property.

State President George J. Butler, County President P. J. Welsh, represent Kentucky interests at the National convention, reached Portland on Monday. Since then they have been among the busiest of delegates.

The Rev. John T. Driscoll, S. T. L., of Fonda, N. Y. On Monday and Tuesday Miss Alma Grafe, of Philadelphia, will give violin recitals. On Thursday and Friday Dr. J. F. Reilly, of Birmingham, will speak on St. Peter's and the Vatican. The course in education will be continued next week by the Rev. William Turner, D. D., Professor of Philosophy at the Catholic University, who will expound as his general thesis the history of education.



GEORGE J. BUTLER, State President and Delegate to the Hibernian National Convention.

## FATAL INJURIES

**Sustained by Deputy Sheriff in Electric Car Accident.**

Every Hibernian in Louisville was shocked and grieved Wednesday to learn of the unforeseen death of Deputy Sheriff John Cronen, which occurred at Sts. Mary and Elizabeth Hospital at 6:30 o'clock that morning. Soon after midnight on Tuesday Mr. Cronen fell in front of a street car on Bank street, near Twenty-ninth. The car struck him, breaking one of his thigh bones and inflicting numerous cuts and bruises. The injured man was removed to Sts. Mary and Elizabeth Hospital. There he received the last sacraments and died about five hours later.

Although a native of Jefferson county, Kentucky, John J. Cronen was intensely Irish. His hand was ever in his pocket for the Irish cause and other charities. He had nothing but contempt for the Irishman who was a renegade from Nation or Church. For twenty years he was engaged in the electrical contracting business. Last January he was appointed a Deputy Sheriff, and was filling that position when he met with the accident that resulted in his death.

The deceased is survived by his wife and four children, all of whom resided with him at 2827 St. Xavier street. The children are John, James and Thomas Cronen, and Miss Stella Cronen. A brother, James Cronen, also survives. Mr. Cronen was a member of Division 1, A. O. H., of Louisville Council Knights of Columbus, and of the Pathfinders. Many sorrowing friends attended his funeral, which took place from St. Cecilia's church yesterday morning.

## SPECIAL FAVOR

**Pope Pius Extends Benefits of Portiuncula Indulgence.**

His Holiness Pope Pius has granted additional privileges this year to those desirous of obtaining the Portiuncula Indulgence. These special privileges are granted in honor of the seventh centenary of the Franciscan order. By a motu proprio the Pope indorses all the concessions of indulgence to privileged churches, and he grants faculty to all ordinaries to appoint in their respective jurisdictions one or more church oratory where the faithful, having duly confessed and approached the holy table and praying for the Pope's intention, may gain the toties quoties plenary indulgence applicable to the souls in purgatory.

In other words, a person having received the sacraments of penance and holy eucharist can gain a plenty of indulgence every time he visits the privileged church from the vesper hour on August 1 until daylight ends on August 2. Pope Pius goes even further and allows the same privilege on the succeeding Sunday, but with the provision that the indulgence can be gained only once between the vesper hour on Saturday and sunset on Sunday.

## MATRON MOURNED.

The whole Catholic community regrets the death of Mrs. Josephine S. Echnor, which occurred at a private residence, Hancock and Jefferson streets, on Monday afternoon. The deceased was the beloved wife of Ferdinand J. Echnor and was forty-eight years old. Death resulted from tuberculosis. Mrs. Echnor had been ill six months, but bore her sufferings with heroic Christian fortitude. She is survived by her husband, six children, three brothers and three sisters. The funeral took place from St. Boniface's church on Wednesday morning, and was very largely attended. The deceased was a devoted wife and mother and devout Christian.

## SEVENTH

**Centenary of Founding of the Franciscans to Be Observed.**

**Feast of the Portiuncula Means Much to the Zealous Friars.**

**Preach Peace, Charity and Good Will to Entire World.**

**ORDER WELL REPRESENTED HERE**

This year is the seventh centenary of the founding of the Franciscans, and the big religious celebration of the day will be held on Tuesday, August 2, which will also be the feast of Portiuncula. There are two branches of the Franciscan fathers in Louisville, the black and the brown. The former belong to the Order of Minor Conventuals, while the latter are called Order of Friars Minor. Both are followers of the rule of St. Francis of Assisi. St. Francis was born at Assisi, Italy, in 1181. Although the son of parents in affluent circles, he broke with the world at an early age, and when he was only twenty-five years old he had begun to live a life of poverty and humility. For several years he lived in a cottage at Assisi and passed his time in almost continual prayer accompanied by severe bodily discipline. In 1209 Bernard of Quintavalle, a rich merchant of Assisi, and Peter of Calana, a canon of the Cathedral of the same city, who had long witnessed and admired the heroic virtue of the saint, openly joined themselves to him. This is considered the real beginning of the Franciscan order.

But in the following year, 1210, St. Francis went to Rome to obtain the confirmation of his rule. The Pope at that time was Innocent III. At the first interview with Francis the Pope rejected the saint's petition. Francis humbly withdrew, but the same night the Pope dreamed that he saw a palm springing up from the ground between his feet and grow gradually until it became a great tree. At the same time was borne in upon his mind an impression that by this "palm tree" was designated the poor petitioner whom he had repelled the day before. Pope Innocent ordered that Francis be brought before him again. In simple language the young saint expounded before the Pope and Cardinals his aims and object, his desire to preach and labor for the conversion of souls, and to bring sinners to repentance.

Several of the Cardinals thought the poverty prescribed by the rule of St. Francis was too great, but Pope Innocent gave the young man his verbal approbation, and it is this event that the Franciscans will celebrate this year. The verbal confirmation of the rule of St. Francis was solemnly ratified by Pope Honorius III, in 1223. St. Francis died in 1226. One of his admonitions to his followers was this:

"Let your behavior in the world be such that everyone who sees or hears you may praise the heavenly Father. Preach peace to all, but have it in your hearts still more than on your lips. Give no occasion of anger or scandal to any, but by your gentleness lead all men to goodness, peace and union. We are called to heal the wounded and recall the erring. For there are many who appear to you limbs of the devil, who will be one day disciples of Jesus Christ."

The Order of Friars Minor, which name St. Francis chose for his institute, waxed and grew strong. He saw branches established in various parts of Italy, in Spain, Germany, England and Ireland. At the first general chapter, which was held at the Portiuncula in 1213, no less than 5,000 Friars were present. No order in the Church has surpassed the Franciscans in their zeal for the propagation of the faith. By a bull of Pope Clement VI, in 1342 the guardianship of the holy places at Jerusalem was committed to the care of the Franciscans, a privilege which they still retain.

Louisville is fortunate in having four churches presided over by followers of St. Francis. The Brown Franciscans are in charge of St. Boniface's and St. Joseph's churches, and also maintain St. Boniface's monastery. St. Anthony's and St. Peter's churches are in charge of the Black Franciscans. The order of St. Francis has given five Popes, more than fifty Cardinals, and many Bishops and Patriarchs to the Church. The Portiuncula Indulgence takes its name from one of the churches at Assisi. It means literally "little door." There, according to common tradition, Jesus Christ appeared to St. Francis in 1221 and bade him go to the Pope, who would give a plenary indulgence to all sincere penitents who should devoutly visit that church. Two years later Pope Honorius III, granted the indulgence. In 1622 the indulgence was extended to all churches that observed the rule of St. Francis. Later still the indulgence was granted to all churches in which the third order of St. Francis was canonically established.

## CATHOLIC WOMEN.

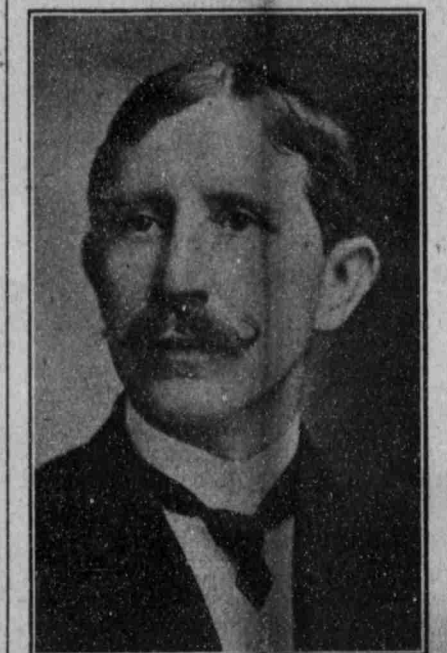
More than 3,000 delegates and

many visitors, representing 125,000 Catholic women, in all parts of the United States, are assembled in Cleveland at the triennial national convention of the Ladies' Catholic Benevolent Association. The convention was formally opened Tuesday morning with high mass in St. John's Cathedral. Business sessions are being held in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium, and will occupy all of next week. Great interest centers in the election of a President to succeed Mrs. McGowan, who has held the office since the foundation of the order, but declines to serve any longer.

## VINCENTIANS.

**Will Hold General Meeting and Receive Communion Tomorrow.**

Tomorrow will be the general communion day for the various local conferences of the St. Vincent de Paul Society. The members will receive the holy sacrament at the 7:30 o'clock mass at the Cathedral. The day will be the festival day of the society, and every Vincentian is urged to approach the holy eucharist at 3 o'clock in the afternoon at the general meeting of the society will be held in St. Francis' Hall, in the basement of the Cathedral. The Right Rev. Bishop O'Donoghue and the general officers desire a full attendance at this meeting.



D. J. COLEMAN, Energetic Worker for Monday's Hibernian Outing.

## WOMAN'S RIGHTS.

**Archbishop Mesmer Gives His View On Modern Question.**

Most Rev. S. G. Mesmer, D. D., Archbishop of Milwaukee, delivered the opening lecture of the season at the Western Catholic Chautauqua, on Oconomowoc Lake, Wisconsin. His subject was "Woman's Rights." In his discourse Archbishop Mesmer said the modern "Woman Question" was an outcome of the French revolution. In his opinion the question of woman's rights was a religious as well as a social nature.

"Rights of persons are determined absolutely by the purpose of the being in question," said the Archbishop, "and the point then arises, what is the purpose of the two sexes; what is the difference? We must come back to the Creator for the answer. Religion gives us the only true answer. The theory that demands equal rights must be denied absolutely," said the Archbishop. "It is a mistake to say equal rights instead of similar rights. Men have certain rights that women have not, and women have certain rights that men have not. No one can interfere with the rights given women by Almighty God."

"Why should women claim equal rights when it comes to a question of politics?" asked the Archbishop. "What does politics mean—politics means the governing and ruling of nations, and no one who understands this would demand equal rights. It would interfere with woman's calling, which makes her queen of the household. It would destroy her female character and destroy her influence on mankind."

He declared that the true solution of the woman's question may be found in religion. Hear him: "Through the sacred scriptures runs the law that woman is subject to man, and, therefore, man takes the principal part. As he is the head of the family, man must take the leading part and on man rests the authority of the State. Woman is not, however, considered inferior to man even though the enemies of the Church say so, for the Catholic Church teaches that woman stands equally high before God. The only difference between man and woman is the difference in their purpose or work as assigned by God. Instead of saying equal rights one should say similar rights."

## PLANNING FOR BAZAR.

Arrangements for the big bazar to be given for the benefit of the Sisters of Mercy in October are progressing satisfactorily. A novel scheme to attract the charitably inclined will be the disposal of a handsome piano at one cent a chance. Combination books have been distributed. The next general meeting of the workers for the bazar will be held at St. Francis Hall at 8 o'clock on the evening of August 23.

## OUTING.

**The Annual Midsummer Fete of the Ancient Order Next Monday.**

**Music, Dancing, Refreshments and Games to Amuse.**

**Ladies' Auxiliary Joins Hands With Hibernians For Success.**

**TAKING A GLANCE BACKWARD**

The annual outing of the County Board of the Ancient Order of Hibernians and the Ladies' Auxiliary will be held at Phoenix Hill Park on Monday night, and all indications point to a record-breaking crowd. Of course the smiling countenances of State President George J. Butler and County President P. J. Welsh will be missed, but those worthy officials have been representing Kentucky Hibernians in far-off Portland, Ore.

The Executive Committee that has been arranging for the outing during the past six weeks is made up of State President Butler, County President Welsh, Con J. Ford, Thomas Walsh, Patrick T. Sullivan, D. J. Coleman, John H. Hennessy and Miss Rose Sweeney. Division 1 will have charge of the refreshments. Members of Division 2 will have charge of tickets and the gate. Music and dancing will be in charge of Division 3, and the Ladies' Auxiliary will be in charge of the refreshments. It is unnecessary to say that an excellent programme of old Irish and the latest popular American music will be rendered. Division 4 will have charge of the games and amusements.

The special picnic committee of the Ladies' Auxiliary is made up of Mrs. J. T. Bennett, Miss Fannie Kennedy, Miss Mary Corcoran, Mrs. Daniel J. Dougherty, Mrs. Rose Ansbach, Misses Julia Kelly, Julia Hession and Lillie Callahan and Mrs. Davenport. The ladies are especially interested in the sale of tickets, and each division has entered a favorite daughter as a candidate for the diamond ring to be awarded the one selling the greatest number of tickets. The candidates are Misses Katie Lally, representing Division 1; Miss Mary May Graney, Division 2; Miss Julia May Hession, Division 3, and Miss Mamie Curran, Division 4. Each candidate is striving hard, and each is receiving the hearty backing of her division. A feature of the evening will be the tug-of-war. Martin Sheehan is chairman of the committee arranging for this, and expects to present two teams of strong men. John Mulloy is chairman of the committee on Irish dances. He has secured some of the best talent in the city for jigs, reels hornpipes and breakdowns.

All the committees have done excellent work and show that the Hibernians in Louisville are working for the common weal. One committee that deserves special mention is that on advertising. It is headed by D. J. Coleman, and he has worked early and late in getting out a fitting programme, boosting the picnic through the press and talking it up to everyone.

Monday's outing will recall to many the glories of days gone by, when the Hibernians of Louisville held their summer outings at the old Woodland Garden, Floral Park, National Park and Phoenix Hill. In those golden olden days the picnics were usually held on July 4, and the rent for the park varied from \$1,300 to \$1,800. Tickets were sold IRISH AMERICAN—Gal 6 Marshall at twenty-five cents, instead of ten cents, as at the present time. Still they made more money than in more recent years. Matthew Curran, Thomas Clines, James Rogers, John Gillen, William Hughes, John J. Barrett, Owen Keiran, John Hennessy, William Sullivan, Patrick Dwyer and many others prominent in the ranks at these outings years ago have passed to their eternal reward. While the living Hibernians are enjoying themselves at Phoenix Hill Monday night, there will be many a little group foregathered on the leaders of other days.

Everybody will be welcome at the outing, and all are assured a good time. The country store, the candy wheel and numerous other attractions will furnish amusement for all.

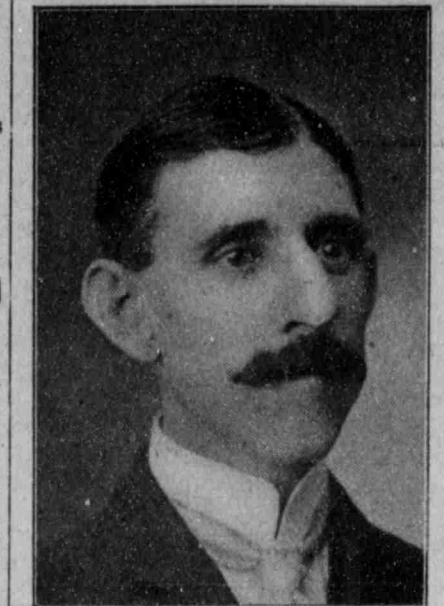
## LEXINGTON.

Last Saturday Thomas McNamara, of 322 Chestnut street, Lexington, received a letter from Prosser, Wash., announcing the death there of his brother, John A. McNamara, on June 22. No particulars were given, but letters have been sent to ascertain the cause of his death. The deceased was born in Lexington about thirty-five years ago, and is survived by his brother, Thomas, and two sisters, Misses Nellie and Annie McNamara.

## ST EDWARD'S FETE.

AA midsummer festival for the benefit of St. Edward's church, Jefferson town, will be given at Oechlin's Orchard, on the Taylorsville interurban line, on Tuesday afternoon and evening. The Rev. Father Theodore Reverman, pastor of St. Edward's,

and his entire congregation expect many Louisville friends to attend. Cars will leave the Louisville interurban station, Green street, near Third, every half-hour, beginning at 2:20 o'clock. The cars leaving at 2:20, 3:20, etc., will be double-deckers. Refreshments of all kinds will be served, and a notable feature will be a good country supper. St. Edward's has had no picnic for two years, and the members of the congregation are very anxious to meet their old friends from Louisville.



PATRICK J. WELSH, County President and Delegate to the Hibernian National Convention.

## HONORED GUEST.

**Bishop O'Donoghue to Be Feted by the Y. M. I.**

The Young Men's Institute of Louisville will give a banquet at the Galt House on Monday night in honor of the Right Rev. Bishop O'Donoghue. Covers will be laid for 500. Mackin and Trinity Councils have united in an effort to make the affair a successful welcome for the new Bishop. Quite a number of clergy, nearly all of them members of the Y. M. I., will attend. Among them are the Rev. George M. Connor, of Owensboro; Rev. J. B. O'Dendahl, of Henshaw; Rev. Bonaventure Cizek, O. M. C.; Rev. Seraphim Schlang, O. M. C.; Rev. J. A. O'Grady, and the Chaplain of Unity Council, New Albany. The members of Unity Council have been invited to the feast.

The committee arranging the affair is made up of representatives from the two local councils. They are Robert T. Burke, Eugene J. Cooney, Louis J. Kieffer, Dr. J. A. Casper, Charles S. Ralby, Frank G. Adams, J. C. Kirchdorfer, Dr. J. R. Leezer, F. Valnotti and Frank Brinkman. Grand President Robert T. Burke will be the toastmaster. The address of welcome to Bishop O'Donoghue will be delivered by the Rev. Father George M. Connor, of Owensboro, Grand Chaplain. Others who will respond to toasts are Rev. Father Seraphim Schlang, Rev. Father J. A. O'Grady, Louis J. Kieffer, Thomas D. Clines, Dr. A. R. Blizot, James B. Kelly, Vic K. Ecker and Dr. F. S. Clark.

## SOUTH MOURNS

**Untimely Taking Off of Popular Covington Priest.**

The entire South mourns the death of the Rev. Father John Kyran Larkin, which occurred at Johnson City, Tenn., on Wednesday of last week. During the past three years he had been Chaplain of the Soldiers' Home at Johnson City.

Father Larkin was born in the County Limerick, Ireland, fifty-five years ago. He made his theological studies at Maynooth and was ordained in 1878. Early in the 80's he came to the United States and was for several years a professor at Mount St. Mary's, Emmitsburg, Md. Later he removed to Tennessee and took up work on the rural missions in the diocese of Nashville. Then he was brought to Memphis as assistant pastor of St. Patrick's church. From 1894 to 1907 he was pastor of St. Bridget's church. Father Larkin was worshiped by young and old, and his untimely death is a cause of sincere regret.

## FORSAKE THE WORLD.

Sacred Heart Academy, on Cherokee drive, was the scene of solemn ceremonies on Thursday when seven young ladies entered the novitiate of the Ursuline nuns, and twelve novices made their profession. The young ladies who received the habit of the order are Misses Helen Oberhausen, Theresa Wessel, Mildred Farnam, Josephine Petty, Elizabeth Bloom, Katie Rose Bolling and Mary Fischer. Miss Oberhausen is a niece of John H. Hennessy, President of Division 4, A. O. H.

## VISITING PARENTS.

George E. Coll, former Prosecuting Attorney of the Clark Circuit Court, and a brother of Councilman Barney Coll, but now at Dallas, Texas, where he is connected with the legal department of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railway, is in Jeffersonville for a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Coll, who celebrated their golden wedding on July 8. Mr. Coll is accompanied by his daughter.

## DOWN.

**The Burial Place of St. Patrick Located in Picturesque County.**

**Its Mountains and Hills Add to the Beauty of the Scenery.**

**Has Many Historic Towns and Villages Within Its Boundaries.**

**WHERE COL. M'ATEER WAS BORN**

The County Down, Ireland, takes its name from Downpatrick, a little town near the dun or fort close to the Cathedral. Patrick was added to the commemorative calendar in connection with it. Down from Cranfield Point to Donaghadee is forty-nine miles long, and from Lisburn to Ardglass is twenty-five miles. It has an area of 957 square miles and a population of 272,000. To the north of Down is Antrim, while Louth is on the south, Armagh on the west and the Irish Sea is the eastern boundary. The chief physical feature of the county is the grand range of the Mourne Mountains; near the center is the much smaller range of Slieve Croob. All the rest of the country is an endless succession of cultivated hills, valleys and small plains.

Slieve Donard is 2,796 feet high and is the tallest mountain in Ulster. Its summit is only two miles from the seashore at New Castle. Other high peaks are Slieve Commedagh, Slieve Bearnagh, Chimney Rock, Slieve Bingen and Slieve Martin. The coast line of County Down, except by the deep inlet of Strangford Lough, is not much broken. For the greater part it is rocky, scarped and dangerous, having few prominent headlands and few bays or harbors.

There is quite a little archipelago in Strangford Lough, the chief of which are Mahee Island, the ancient Neudruw, on which Bishop Mahee, a contemporary of St. Patrick, established a monastery and school, and which still retains some ruins of the old buildings, including the remains of a round tower, Beagh Island, Castle Island and Chapel Island. Belfast Lough separates Down from Antrim. Except the Bann and the Lagan, which drain the west of the county, all the rivers are small. The Bann, rising in the Mourne Mountains, flows through Down till it enters the County Armagh, two miles below Gilford. The Lagan rises in Slieve Croob, runs through Down to Moira, and then forms the boundary between Down and Antrim for the rest of its course. Among the smaller rivers in Down are the Ravenet, the Blackwater, the Ballynahinch, the Ballyshannon, the Burren, the Annalough, the Kilkeel, the Newry, the White Water and the Narrow Water.

Newry, the principal town, has a population of 15,000, but a third of the inhabitants live in that part of the town which lies in Armagh. It is a town of considerable trade and manufacture. Down has many other historic towns, but all are small and the population sparse. Among them are Warren Point, Rosstrevor, Killeel, Newcastle, Dungannon, Ardglass, Stranorlar, Killybeg, Comber, Newtownards, Grey Abbey, Kircubbin, Ballywater, Donaghadee, Bangor and Holywood.

More important still is Downpatrick, the assize town and the burial place of St. Patrick. It has a population of 3,400. A part of Belfast, called Ballymacarrett, belongs to Down, and has a population of 23,917.

Down formed a part of the ancient territory of Dalriada. The old name of the Mourne Mountains was Bann-Bolreich. The Dane's Castle in the west, a little to the south of Gilford, is a part of the ancient rampart dividing the Kingdoms of Oriel and Ulidia. Downpatrick Cathedral is built on the site of a Cathedral, one of the most ancient edifices in Ireland, which was destroyed by the Danes, and in which, it is said, the remains of St. Patrick, St. Brigid and St. Columbkille were buried. It was re-erected in 1140, only to be burned during the war of Edward Bruce. It was restored in 1538. In 1790 the present structure was placed on the ruins.

Col. John McAtter, of this city, hails from County Down. He first saw the light of day in Newry. Col. McAtter has made several trips home since he came to Louisville more than forty years ago.

## NEWS OF ST. LEO'S.

Next Sunday evening the Rev. J. J. Fitzgerald, the indomitable and hard working pastor of St. Leo's church, Highland Park, will leave to spend a deserved two weeks' vacation with relatives and friends in New York and the East. During his absence the affairs of the parish will be cared for by Dominican Father from St. Louis Bertrand's. Fitzgerald has arranged to take a tour to St. Leo's school, which is in a flourishing condition and has over 100 pupils. His vacation, while wishing him a good will, will heartily welcome him home.